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Nathan James John Selby

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I hereby declare that:

Each inventor's residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to their name.

I believe the inventor(s) named below to be the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

IMPROVED POINTING DEVICE

(Title of the Invention)

the specification of which

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is attached hereto

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was filed on (MM/DD/YYYY)

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PCT/GB03/00869

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Supplemental Sheet
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STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)Applicant/Patent Owner: Nathan James John Selby, et al.

Application No./Patent No.: _____ Filed/Issue Date: _____

Entitled: IMPROVED POINTING DEVICE

Cursor Controls Limited a a Limited Liability Corporation in United Kingdom

(Name of Assignee) (Type of Assignee, e.g. corporation, partnership, university, government agency, etc.)

states that it is:

1. ☒ the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest; or
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The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee.

3/11/04
Date

TONY SUTTON
Typed or printed name
T. Sutton
Signature
MANAGING DIRECTOR
Title

ASSIGNMENT OF APPLICATIONDocket Number (Optional):
SOMMR-014US

Whereas, I, **DAVID WILLIAM CLARK**, hereafter referred to as applicant, have invented certain new and useful improvements in **IMPROVED POINTING DEVICE**

- ☐ for which an application for a United States Patent was filed on _____,
Application Number _____/_____,
☐ for which an application for a United States Patent was executed on _____, and

Whereas, **CURSOR CONTROLS LIMITED** of **NOTTINGHAMSHIRE, UNITED KINGDOM** herein referred to "assignee" whose mailing address is **Conroi House, Brunel Drive, Newark, Nottinghamshire, NG24 2EG, United Kingdom** is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in the same;

Now, therefore, in consideration of the sum of One dollars (\$1.00), the receipt whereof is acknowledged, and other good and valuable consideration, I, the applicant, by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto said assignee the full and exclusive right to the said improvement in the United States, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, Assignor's entire right, title and interest in, to and under said improvements, and said application and all divisions, renewals, continuations, and continuations-in-part thereof, and all United States Letters patent which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all applications for Letters Patent which may hereafter be filed for said improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States, including the full right to claim for any such application the priority benefits of the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property and other priority-conferring treaties, and all Letters Patent which may be granted for said improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, renewals and reissues thereof; and Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States, and any official of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue all Letters Patent for said improvements to said Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument; I hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said United States Patent to said assignee, of the entire right, title, and interest in and to the same, for his sole use and behoof; and for the use and behoof of his legal representatives, to the full end of the term for which said Patent may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by me had this assignment and sale not been made.

Executed this 3RD day of NOVEMBER, 2004

at NEWARK, NOTTINGHAMSHIRE, UK.



DAVID WILLIAM CLARK

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